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## Via ECF

The Honorable Lewis J. Liman  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v. Lawrence Ray, et al., 1:20-CR-110 (LJL)

Dear Judge Liman:

On behalf of Jane Doe 1, we respectfully submit this letter in response to the Court's February 9, 2022 Order and pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3771(a). Ms. Doe respectfully asks that the trial go forward as scheduled on March 8, 2022. This case has been pending for two years. As a victim, Ms. Doe is entitled to see Mr. Ray at last brought to trial and held accountable under the law. While nothing will fully repair the harm he has caused, the trial will help Ms. Doe turn the page on this harrowing chapter of her life. Every day the trial is delayed is another day justice and this measure of closure are denied.

Respectfully submitted,

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